



**PATENT**  
Attorney Docket No. 440525/Pall

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:

BORMANN et al.

Application No. 09/936,732

Art Unit: 1723

Examiner: Krishnan S. Mennon

Filed: December 20, 2001

For: BIOLOGICAL FLUID FILTER AND  
SYSTEM

**REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE  
ACTION**

Mail Stop RCE  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Official Action mailed January 16, 2004, Applicants petition for a one month extension of time, extending the date for response to and including May 17, 2004 (May 16 falling on a Sunday), submit a Request for Continued Examination, and the requisite fees therefor, and request that the following remarks be considered and the referenced application be amended as shown below.

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